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**Mercury Public Affairs v. Airbus Defence and Space, 19 Civ. 7518 (MKV)**

Dear Judge Vyskocil,

On behalf of defendant Airbus Defence and Space, S.A.U. (“ADSS”), we are writing with the consent of counsel for plaintiff Mercury Public Affairs LLC (“Mercury”) to report on the status of settlement.

The parties have negotiated and agreed on the form of a settlement agreement, but ADSS is still awaiting a necessary regulatory approval. We hope to have that approval within the next two weeks, at which point we expect the settlement agreement to be executed. Under the terms of the draft settlement agreement, a stipulation of dismissal will be filed within a short time after the settlement agreement is executed.

Respectfully submitted,



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